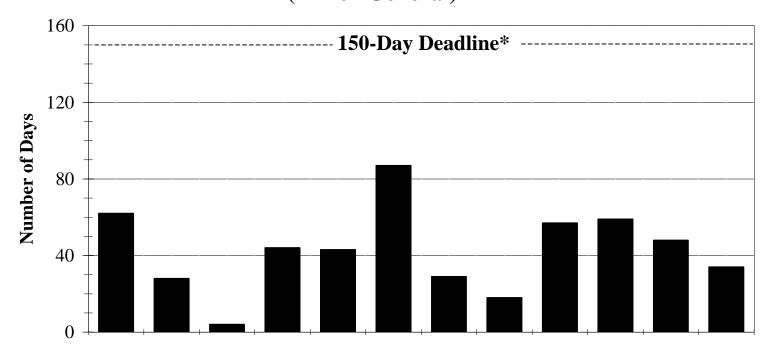
Office of Water Management New National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permits Median Number of Days to Issue Final Decisions (Minor General)



Applications	Jan '99	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul*	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
Median # of Days to Issue	62	28	4	44	43	87	29	18	57	59	48	34	
#Final Decisions Past Deadline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
#Applications Received	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	1	3	4	4	28
#Final Decisions	9	3	1	2	3	4	2	1	2	3	3	6	39
Applications Pending	3	2	3	3	2	0	0	2	1	1	2	0	

Minor General NPDES Permits are for specific types of disharges of less than 1 million gallons, including non-contact cooling water, discharges from coal mines, sand, gravel, and stone quarries, and from petroleum products terminals, petroleum-related groundwater remediation activities, or hydrostatic testing of commercial pipelines.

^{*} HEA 1919, which became effective July 1, 1999, reduced the allowable time frame for IDEM review of NPDES General permit applications from 180 days to 150 days.